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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Office Action issued September 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: